MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
MISSOURI UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
FOR METROPOLITAN AND MICROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS AND SINGLE-COUNTY LABOR MARKET AREAS (LMAs)
CURRENT MONTH (MARCH 2024), PREVIOUS TWO MONTHS (FEBRUARY 2024 AND JANUARY 2024) AND YEAR AGO (MARCH 2023)

	MAR 2024	FEB 2024	JAN 2024	MAR 2023		MAR 2024	FEB 2024	JAN 2024	MAR 2023
U.S. (not seasonally adjusted)	3.9	4.2	4.1	3.6	ROLLA (Phelps Co.)	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.2
MISSOURI (not seasonally adjusted)	3.7	4.0	3.8	3.2	SEDALIA (Pettis Co.)	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.1
					SIKESTON (Scott Co.)	3.7	3.8	3.4	3.1
METROPOLITAN AREAS					WARRENSBURG (Johnson Co.)	4.0	3.9	4.2	3.5
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.0	WEST PLAINS (Howell Co.)	4.5	4.2	4.3	3.9
CAPE GIRARDEAU MSA (MO PT)	3.4	3.3	3.4	2.9	FT. MADISON (MO PT - Clark Co.)	4.3	4.6	4.7	4.2
Bollinger	3.7	4.0	3.9	3.0	QUINCY (MO PT - Lewis Co.)	3.7	3.9	4.1	3.2
Cape Girardeau	3.4	3.2	3.3	2.9					
COLUMBIA MSA (Boone Co.)	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.5	**SINGLE COUNTY LMAs**				
JEFFERSON CITY MSA	3.1	3.2	3.3	2.7	Atchison	3.5	3.7	3.3	2.8
Callaway	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.0	Barry	4.4	4.8	4.6	3.4
Cole	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.6	Barton	3.8	3.4	3.6	3.4
Moniteau	3.1	3.2	3.5	2.6	Benton	5.2	5.9	5.8	4.6
Osage	3.0	2.8	3.1	2.6	Camden	4.7	6.3	5.9	4.2
JOPLIN MSA	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.1	Carroll	4.2	4.1	4.1	3.0
Jasper	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.1	Carter	4.9	6.0	5.6	5.8
Newton	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.0	Cedar	4.1	4.1	4.2	3.8
KANSAS CITY MSA	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.1	Chariton	3.2	3.5	3.5	2.9
KANSAS CITY MSA (MO PT)	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.2	Cooper	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.1
Bates	3.9	4.5	4.7	3.5	Crawford	4.3	4.7	4.4	3.5
Caldwell	3.8	3.6	3.9	3.2	Dade	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.1
Cass	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.1	Daviess	3.8	3.6	4.0	2.8
Clay	3.5	3.2	3.2	2.8	Dent	4.1	4.2	4.3	3.6
Clinton	3.9	3.8	4.0	3.1	Douglas	4.1	3.9	3.6	5.1
Jackson	4.1	4.2	4.1	3.5	Gasconade	3.6	3.7	3.6	2.8
Lafayette	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.1	Gentry	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.0
Platte	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.7	Grundy	4.1	4.5	4.2	3.3
Ray	4.3	3.8	4.1	3.2	Harrison	4.0	4.3	4.3	3.4
ST. JOSEPH MSA	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.1	Henry	3.6	3.9	4.1	3.1
ST. JOSEPH MSA (MO PT)	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.1	Hickory	4.7	5.1	5.1	3.7
Andrew	3.2	3.4	3.4	2.7	Holt	3.0	2.9	3.0	2.7
Buchanan	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.2	Howard	3.6	3.3	4.2	3.1
DeKalb	3.2	3.5	3.8	3.3	Iron	5.7	6.2	5.8	5.3
ST. LOUIS MSA	3.8	4.0	3.9	3.2	Knox	4.1	4.7	4.4	3.1
ST. LOUIS MSA (MO PT)	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.0	Lawrence	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.2
Franklin	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.0	Linn	4.3	4.5	5.0	4.1
Jefferson	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.0	Livingston	3.3	3.4	3.3	2.4
Lincoln	3.6	4.3	4.2	3.2	Macon	4.0	4.4	4.3	4.0
St. Charles	3.1	3.4	3.2	2.6	Madison	4.4	4.8	4.5	3.8
St. Louis Co.	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.0	Maries	3.6	4.0	3.9	3.3
Warren	3.5	3.9	3.8	2.9	Mercer	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.0
St. Louis City	4.4	4.6	4.2	3.8	Miller	3.8	4.9	4.9	3.5
SPRINGFIELD MSA	3.3	3.3	3.2	2.8	Mississippi	5.4	5.7	4.4	4.0
Christian	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.7	Monroe	4.5	4.8	4.6	3.8
Dallas	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.1	Montgomery	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.3
Greene	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.7	Morgan	4.8	5.3	5.1	4.1
Polk	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.0	New Madrid	5.8	7.1	4.8	3.7
Webster	3.5	3.4	3.4	2.9	Oregon	4.4	4.4	4.0	3.7
FAYETTEVILLE MSA (MO PT - McDonald Co.	4.4	4.9	4.6	2.8	Ozark	6.2	7.7	7.0	5.4
					Pemiscot	6.0	6.9	5.9	4.5
MICROPOLITAN AREAS					Perry	3.3	3.3	3.2	2.6
BRANSON	5.7	13.0	10.6	5.1	Pike	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.3
Stone	5.5	11.1	9.3	4.9	Putnam	3.8	4.7	4.2	3.4
Taney	5.8	13.9	11.3	5.2	Reynolds	4.2	4.5	4.1	3.9
FARMINGTON (St. Francois Co.)	4.7	5.2	4.9	4.2	Ripley	4.5	4.6	4.5	5.0
FT. LEONARD WOOD (Pulaski Co.)	4.6	4.5	4.5	3.8	St. Clair	4.1	4.2	4.7	3.7
HANNIBAL	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.3	Ste. Genevieve	3.4	3.7	3.5	2.8
Marion	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.4	Scotland	2.9	2.9	3.6	2.5
Ralls	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.1	Shannon	4.8	6.2	5.8	5.6
KENNETT (Dunklin Co.)	6.7	7.8	6.3	5.5	Shelby	3.7	4.1	4.5	3.4
KIRKSVILLE	4.7	4.5	5.3	4.0	Stoddard	4.9	5.7	5.4	4.2
Adair	4.8	4.3	5.1	4.0	Sullivan	4.3	4.5	4.9	3.8
Schuyler	4.6	5.7	6.2	4.3	Texas	4.5	4.4	4.6	3.7
LEBANON (Laclede Co.)	4.0	4.3	4.2	3.1	Vernon	4.3	3.9	3.9	3.7
MARSHALL (Saline Co.)	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.0	Washington	4.8	5.6	5.3	4.2
MARYVILLE (Nodaway Co.)	3.6	3.3	3.6	2.8	Wayne	5.1	5.7	4.9	5.5
MEXICO (Audrain Co.)	4.1	4.3	4.0	3.6	Worth	3.1	3.9	3.7	2.9
MOBERLY (Randolph Co.)	4.0	4.3	4.2	3.5	Wright	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.0
POPLAR BLUFF (Butler Co.)	5.0	5.2	4.8	6.2					

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